

ITALY IS THOUGHT TO BE ON VERGE OF GOING TO WAR

Tension in Relations With Austria Almost at the Breaking Point.

ALLIES TRY DESPERATELY TO BRING ABOUT RUPTURE

Italian Help Is Needed in Shutting Off Supplies to the Teutonic Nations

VIENNA MAY SEND ULTIMATUM

Activity of Victor Emmanuel's Army
Along Border Possible Grievance
Leading to Beginning of

Hostilities.

LONDON, April 10, 1955 (P.M.)

—Whether the negotiations between Rome and Vienna concerning Italy's demands for territorial

concessions have been broken off. It remains for the moment an official secret, but it represents a

secret, but it appears to be un-
versally agreed that the tension is
approaching the breaking point.

It is suggested here that the Italian foreign office is awaiting an ultimatum from Vienna on the

subject of Italy's military preparations along the frontier as a pretext to sever the remaining

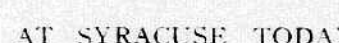
Need of Italy's Help.

The alertness with which every move diplomatically or otherwise, made by Italy is now followed in London indi-

cates the high importance attached here to efforts to bring Italy to the fighting line.

One of the main reasons advanced for this desire to include Italy in the partnership of the allies is that in no other way is it possible to close so effectually the door to those who might wish to

Machine Guns From America.



four men were drowned instead of 100, as first reported, and that twenty-seven others are missing. The transport itself was not damaged.

The loss of life was due to the capsizing of one boat in the water and another by Turkish fire and fell into the sea. A second hydroplane attempted to save it and was sunk by our fire. An English armored cruiser which tugged away the damaged machine was struck by our shells. The cruiser with the hydroplane withdrew."

from that country, especially food supplies, arms and munitions, must be paid for in cash.

last year.

lower part of the city contiguous to the wharves and docks.